

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COLUMBIA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	CR NO: 3:12-430
)	
VS)	
)	VERDICT
Mark William Baker)	
a/k/a Lightning)	
_____)	

WE, THE JURY, following due deliberations in the above matter, unanimously return the following verdict:

Count 1 (RICO)

1. As to Count 1, we unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning

☒ Not Guilty
☐ Guilty

- 1a. We unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning committed Racketeering Act 1

☐ No
☒ Yes

United States v. Mark Baker a/k/a Lightning
D.S.C. Cr. No. 3:12-430
Page 2

- 1b. We unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning committed, or caused, or aided and abetted the commission of Racketeering Act 31

☒ No

☐ Yes

- 1c. We unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning committed Racketeering Act 45

☐ No

☒ Yes

Count 2 (RICO Conspiracy)

2. As to Count 2, we unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning

☐ Not Guilty

☒ Guilty

- 2a. We unanimously find that Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning agreed the predicate racketeering activity that would be or was committed with respect to Count 2 included Hobbs Act Robbery(s) (18 U.S.C. § 1951)

☐ None

☐ One racketeering act

☒ Two or more racketeering acts

United States v. Mark Baker a/k/a Lightning
D.S.C. Cr. No. 3:12-430
Page 3

- 2b. We unanimously find that Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning agreed the predicate racketeering activity that would be or was committed with respect to Count 2 included Money Laundering(s) (18 U.S.C. § 1956(a)(3)(B))

_____ None

_____ One racketeering act

☒ Two or more racketeering acts

- 2c. We unanimously find that Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning agreed the predicate racketeering activity that would be or was committed with respect to Count 2 included Drug Trafficking(s) (21 U.S.C. § 841)

_____ None

_____ One racketeering act

☒ Two or more racketeering acts

- 2d. We unanimously find that Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning agreed the predicate racketeering activity that would be or was committed with respect to Count 2 included Drug Conspiracy (21 U.S.C. § 846)

_____ None

☒ One racketeering act

United States v. Mark Baker a/k/a Lightning
D.S.C. Cr. No. 3:12-430
Page 4

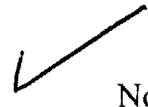
Count 3 (Conspiracy to Possess With Intent to Distribute and/or to Distribute Cocaine, Methamphetamine, Oxycodone, and/or Hydrocodone)

3. As to Count 3, we unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning

_____ Not Guilty
_____  Guilty


Count 34 (Narcotics Distribution)

4. As to Count 34, we unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning

_____  Not Guilty
_____ Guilty

Count 35 (Possession of a Firearm in Furtherance of Drug Trafficking and/or a Crime of Violence)

5. As to Count 35, we unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning

_____  Not Guilty
_____ Guilty

United States v. Mark Baker a/k/a Lightning
D.S.C. Cr. No. 3:12-430
Page 5

Count 55 (Money Laundering)

5. As to Count 55, we unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning

_____ Not Guilty

☒ _____ Guilty

Count 57 (Dealing Firearms Without License)

6. As to Count 57, we unanimously find the defendant, Mark William Baker a/k/a Lightning

☒ _____ Not Guilty

_____ Guilty

Redacted

Foreperson

March 14, 2013
Columbia, South Carolina